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Re: TELECONFERENCING ROBOT WITH SWIVELING VIDEO MONITOR

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of the claims of the above identified patent application, the applicant respectfully requests that the application be amended as follows:

IN THE DISCLOSURE

At page 1, line 2, please amend the disclosure as follows:

Please insert the following paragraph:

A/The applicant claims the benefit of 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of the United States Provisional Application No. 60/045,793 filed 7 May 1997.

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REMARKS

In this amendment, the applicant amends disclosure page 1 to include reference to the United States Provisional Application No. 60/045,793 which forms the priority basis for corresponding International Application No. PCT/CA98/00463.